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SUBJECT: SEOUL NEWSPAPER COVERAGE OF FRASER HEARINGS

NEWSPAPERS OF JUNE 26 ALL CARRIED FRONT STORY  
OF ASSISTANT SECRETARY HABIB'S STATEMENT ON KOREA  
BEFORE FRASER COMMITTEE BUT STRESSED ALMOST EXCLUSIVELY  
REAFFIRMATION OF CONTINUED COMMITMENT TO KOREA.  
WITH EXCEPTION OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE KOREA HERALD, PAPERS DID NOT  
REVEAL THAT COMMITTEE BEFORE WHICH ASSISTANT  
SECRETARY HABIB HAD SPOKEN WAS FRASER COMMITTEE ON  
HUMAN RIGHTS, NOR DID THEY MENTION EXPRESSION OF US  
CONCERN OVER KOREAN HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION. ONLY  
HERALD IDENTIFIED COMMITTEE AND RESTRICTED ITSELF TO SOLE  
COMMENT ON HUMAN RIGHTS BY SAYING HAT US "WILL CONTINUE  
TO MAKE CLEAR CONCERN ... OF AMERICAN PEOPLE OVER  
PROTECTION AND PRESERVATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS." THIS  
FIRST PUBLIC NEWS COVERAGE OF HEARINGS SINCE OPENING  
OF TESTIMONIES IN MAY.  
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